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GRANT WORKSHOP FOR SUSTAINABLE TRANSPORTATION PLANNING GRANTS

REDDING- The California Department of Transportation, Caltrans District 2, will host a 2016/17 Sustainable Transportation Planning Grants Workshop on Thursday, September 3, 2015 from 1:00 p.m.- 3:00 p.m. at the Caltrans-District 2 West Venture Office, 1031 Butte Street, Redding, CA 96001.

This grant program was created to support our mission: provide a safe, sustainable, integrated and efficient transportation system to enhance California's economy and livability. There are currently two grants available: **Strategic Partnerships and Sustainable Communities**. These grants may be used for a wide range of transportation purposes that address local and regional transportation needs and issues and should ultimately lead to the adoption, initiation and programming of transportation improvements. Past grant recipients include: Plumas County Non-Motorized Transportation Plan, Susanville Indian Rancheria Long Range Transportation Plan, and Shasta Regional Transportation Agency-Far Northern California Consolidated Goods and Freight Hub Study.

This Workshop will offer valuable information on the grant application process and how to obtain these grants.

Additional Information:

Sustainable Transportation Planning Grant Information:

<http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/tpp/offices/orip/Grants/grants.html>

New schedule for the FY 2016/17 Sustainable Transportation Planning Grants:

<http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/tpp/grants.html>.



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Strategic Partnerships

Who May Apply as Primary Recipients – Metropolitan Planning Organizations/Regional Transportation Planning Agencies; Sub-Recipients –Transit Agencies, Universities, Community Colleges, Native American Tribal Governments, Cities and Counties, Community-Based Organizations, Non-Profit Organizations and other Public Entities.

Sustainable Communities

Who May Apply as Primary Recipients – Metropolitan Planning Organizations/Regional Transportation Planning Agencies, Transit Agencies, Cities, Counties and Native American Tribal Governments; Sub-Recipients –Transit Agencies, Universities, Community Colleges, Native American Tribal Governments, Cities and Counties, Community-Based Organizations, Non-Profit Organizations and other Public Entities.

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